

FEBRUARY 1, 1937.

## WEEK-END FARES MANY BUT SMALL

ONLY 27,300 POUNDS FRESH FISH  
LANDED BY FLEET—13 BOATS  
THREE GILL NETTERS

Although 13 boats reported with fresh fish here over the week-end, total receipts were only 27,300 pounds of cod and flounders. Six draggers had 16,300 pounds of flounders and cod, four small trawlers had 5700 pounds of cod, and three gill netters added 5300 pounds of cod.

The Producers Fish company had two draggers, two trawlers and a netter with 10,800 pounds; Progressive Fish company, three draggers and a netter, 8500; Murray & Tarr, a dragger, trawler and a netter, 7500; and the Cape Ann Cold Storage company, one trawler, 1500.

### Gloucester Arrivals and Receipts

The arrivals and fares in detail:  
Jennie and Julia, dragging, 4000 lbs. flounders and cod.

Rose and Lucy, dragging, 4500 lbs. flounders and cod.

Natale II, dragging, 2000 lbs. flounders and cod.

Carlo and Vince, dragging, 1500 lbs. flounders and cod.

Provvidenza I, dragging, 300 lbs. cod.

Hoop-la, dragging, 4000 lbs. flounders and cod.

Annie and Josephine, trawling, 1500 lbs. cod.

Grace A., trawling, 1500 lbs. cod.

Maria Concetta, trawling, 700 lbs. cod.

Lucy W., trawling, 2000 lbs. cod.

### Yesterday's Gill Net Receipts

Marie and Catherine, 2800 lbs. cod.  
Ethel S. Huff, 1500 lbs. cod.  
Eliza C. Riggs, 1000 lbs. cod.

## HEAVY SUPPLY AT BOSTON PIER

NEARLY 2,000,000 POUNDS OF  
FRESH FISH BROUGHT IN  
TODAY—MARKET LOWER.

Thirty-eight boats were recorded on the arriving list at the Boston fish pier for the Monday morning market. Receipts were heavy, to with many large fares. The total was 1,205,000 pounds of groundfish, 185,000 pounds of redfish and 515,000 pounds of mixed fish. Prices were lower.

Haddock opened at \$3 to \$4; large cod, \$3 to \$3.50 and market cod, \$2.50 to \$2.75.

### Boston Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:  
Str. Ocean, 92,000 haddock, 41,000 cod, 23,000 mixed fish.

Str. Swell, 73,000 haddock, 35,000 cod, 4000 mixed fish.

Str. White Cap, 25,000 haddock, 14,000 cod, 175,000 redfish, 7000 mixed fish.

Str. Winthrop, 60,000 haddock, 31,000 cod, 23,000 mixed fish.

Str. Fordham, 93,000 haddock, 12,000 cod, 34,000 mixed fish.

Str. Cornell, 75,000 haddock, 59,000 cod, 12,000 mixed fish.

Str. Brant, 90,000 haddock, 41,000 cod, 61,000 mixed fish.

Str. Curlew, 44,000 haddock, 25,000 cod, 42,000 mixed fish.

Str. Hekla, 75,000 haddock, 11,000 cod, 22,000 mixed fish.

Exeter, 23,000 haddock, 10,000 redfish, 8000 mixed fish.

Venture II, 35,000 haddock, 6000 cod, 23,000 mixed fish.

Vandal, 7500 haddock, 13,000 cod, 12,000 mixed fish.

Rita B., 23,000 haddock, 6000 cod, 13,000 mixed fish.

Andrew and Rosalie, 10,000 haddock, 2000 cod, 1000 mixed fish.

Marjorie Parker, 7500 haddock, 1700 cod, 9000 mixed fish.

Mary P. Goulart, 10,000 haddock, 3500 cod, 15,000 mixed fish.

Isabel Parker, 2500 haddock, 7000 cod, 45,000 mixed fish.

Rhodora, 4000 haddock, 4000 cod, 30,000 mixed fish.

William L. Putnam, 33,000 haddock, 19,000 cod, 35,000 mixed fish.

Mary E. O'Hara, 19,000 haddock, 24,000 cod, 11,000 mixed fish.

Corinthian, 23,000 haddock, 28,000 cod, 16,000 mixed fish.

Two Pals, 3500 mixed fish.

Mary, 8800 mixed fish.

Virginia and Mary, 6200 mixed fish.

Charles M. Fauci III, 2900 mixed fish.

Uncle Sam, 15,300 mixed fish.

Provvidenza, 2900 mixed fish.

Maria, 3400 mixed fish.

Six Brothers, 2100 mixed fish.

Francesca, 2300 mixed fish.

Guiseppiana, 9000 mixed fish.

St. Joseph, 1900 mixed fish.

Six boats, 11,600 mixed fish.

Haddock, \$3 to \$4 per cwt.; scrod, \$3; large cod, \$3 to \$3.50; market cod, \$2.50 to \$2.75; hake, \$2.70; pollock, \$2; cusk, \$2.50; gray sole, 3 to 4 cents per pound; lemon sole, 8 cents; black backs, 4 to 5 cents; yellow tails, 2 1-2 cents; dabs, 2 cents; redfish, .75 cents; catfish, 2 cents.

FEBRUARY 2, 1937.

## RECEIPTS ARE SMALLER TODAY

BOSTON PIER HAS 18 ARRIVALS  
WITH ABOUT A MILLION  
POUNDS.

A smaller fleet than yesterday was on hand at the Boston fish pier this morning and receipts were about of the Monday total. Fares aggregated 750,000 pounds of groundfish, 43,000 pounds of redfish and 241,000 pounds of mixed fish.

Prices were about the same as yesterday.

### Boston Arrivals and Receipts

The arrivals and fares in detail:  
Str. Plymouth, 35,000 haddock, 15,000 cod, 39,000 mixed fish.

Str. Holy Cross, 75,000 haddock, 44,000 cod, 33,000 mixed fish.

Str. Boston, 40,000 haddock, 12,000 cod, 30,000 redfish, 8000 mixed fish.

Str. Surf, 115,000 haddock, 70,000 cod, 25,000 mixed fish.

Str. Flow, 8000 haddock, 16,000 cod, 100,000 pollock, 10,000 mixed fish.

Str. Foam, 15,000 haddock, 11,000 cod, 25,000 mixed fish.

Str. Penguin, 105,000 haddock, 67,000 cod, 37,000 mixed fish.

Str. Neptune, 23,000 haddock, 55,000 cod, 13,000 mixed fish.

Gertrude Parker, 35,000 haddock, 1500 cod, 13,000 redfish, 5000 mixed fish.

Imperator, 12,000 haddock, 3000 cod, 19,000 mixed fish.

Sebastiana and Figli, 3200 mixed fish.

Joseph D'Ambrosio, 3300 mixed fish.

Annie II, 4700 mixed fish.

San Calogero, 3200 mixed fish.

Madame X, 5100 mixed fish.

Rosie, 4100 mixed fish.

Two boats, 3200 mixed fish.

Haddock, \$3 to \$3.25 per cwt.; scrod, \$3; large cod, \$2.75 to \$3; market cod, \$3; hake, \$3 to \$3.75; pollock, \$1.65 to \$1.75; cusk, \$2; gray sole, 2 1-2 to 4 cents per lb; lemon sole, 8 cents; black backs, 5 1-2 cents; yellow tails, 2 1-2 cents; dabs, 2 cents; redfish, 1 cent; catfish, 2 cents.

## RECEIPTS UP AT BOSTON PIER

LANDINGS LAST WEEK 30 P. C.  
AHEAD OF PERIOD  
1936.

Receipts of groundfish at the Boston pier compared with the corresponding week last year show an increase of 30 per cent. There has been quite an active business on the pier.

273,000 pounds of scrod; 370,300 pounds of large cod; 321,900 pounds of market cod; 1,214,600 pounds of mixed fish.

From January 1 to date there have been 394 arrivals and receipts of 19,388,100 pounds of fresh fish landed at Boston as compared with 508 arrivals and receipts of 17,319,900 pounds of fresh fish landed during the corresponding period of 1936.

### Portland Fish News.

Two large schooners and two Portland vessels landed 60,000 pounds of groundfish at Portland, Monday. The Ruth and Margaret had 32,000 pounds; the Doris Hawes, 20,000 pounds; and the Fannie Belle and the Eleanor, 4000 pounds each.

FEBRUARY 2, 1937.

## OVERLAND TRIP AT GORTON-PEW

BOSTON SENDS 35,000 POUNDS—  
SMALL BOATS ADDED 24,000  
FLOUNDERS AND COD.

A fleet of nine small boats and an overland trip from Boston brought 58,900 pounds of cod and flounders here. The Pew branch of Gorton-Pew Fisheries had the overland trip of 35,000 pounds of large cod. Five small trawlers accounted for 13,000 pounds of cod; two draggers had 6000 pounds of flounders and cod; and two gill netters, 4900 pounds of cod.

The Producers Fish company had a dragger, a trawler and netter, with 11,500 pounds; Cape Ann Cold Storage company, four trawlers, 9000; Progressive Fish company, a dragger, 2000; and Murray & Tarr, a netter, 1400.

### Gloucester Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:  
Overland from Boston, 35,000 lbs. large cod.

Nova Antonio, trawling, 4000 lbs. cod.

Boat 4C555, trawling, 3000 lbs. cod.

Jupiter, trawling, 2000 lbs. cod.

Victoria, trawling, 2000 lbs. cod.

Boat 4B872, trawling, 2000 lbs. cod.

Rose and Lucy, dragging, 4000 lbs. cod.

Salvatore and Rosalie, dragging, 2000 lbs. flounders and cod.

Marie and Catherine, gill netting, 3500 lbs. cod.

Ethel S. Huff, gill netting, 1400 lbs. cod.

FEBRUARY 3, 1937.

## RUTH LUCILLE AT FORT STORAGE

LANDS 100,000 POUNDS REDFISH  
TODAY—ONLY ONE GILL  
NETTER LIFTED.

Although only two boats arrived here yesterday, the total was comparatively, 130,400 pounds, including redfish and cod. The Cape Ann Cold Storage company had a dragger with 100,000 pounds of redfish to fillet, and 15,000 pounds of cod and other groundfish; the Pew wharf of Gorton-Pew Fisheries had an overland trip of 14,000 pounds of large cod; and Murray & Tarr had a gill netter with 1400 pounds of cod.

### Gloucester Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:  
Ruth Lucille, dragging, 100,000 lbs. redfish, 15,000 lbs. groundfish.

Overland from Boston, 14,000 lbs. large cod.

Ethel S. Huff, gill netting, 1400 lbs. cod.

FEBRUARY 3, 1937.

## ON Y DOZEN AT THE FISH PIER

RECEIPTS, HOWEVER, ARE OVER  
A MILLION POUNDS—PRICES  
ARE LITTLE HIGHER

An even dozen arrivals are recorded at the Boston fish pier this morning. Nine of them came from off shore though with pretty good fares and total receipts were over the million pound mark. Fares aggregated 701,000 pounds of groundfish, 150,000 pounds of redfish and 395,000 pounds of mixed fish.

Prices were a bit stronger and higher with haddock at 3.50 to \$4; large cod, \$3 to \$3.75 and markets, \$3.50 to \$3.75.

### Boston Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:  
Str. Cambridge, 16,000 haddock, 59,000 cod, 30,000 mixed fish.

Str. Georgetown, 50,000 haddock, 21,000 cod, 54,000 mixed fish.

Str. Illinois, 13,000 haddock, 39,000 cod, 97,000 mixed fish.

Str. Dartmouth, 11,000 haddock, 25,000 cod, 110,000 pollock, 7000 mixed cod.

Str. Amherst, 40,000 haddock, 57,000 cod, 30,000 redfish, 29,000 mixed fish.

Str. Spray, 50,000 haddock, 26,000 cod, 45,000 mixed fish.

Str. Saturn, 48,000 haddock, 40,000 cod, 10,000 redfish, 50,000 mixed fish.

Str. Widgeon, 130,000 haddock, 43,000 cod, 37,000 mixed fish.

Adventure, 21,000 haddock, 12,000 cod, 34,000 mixed fish.

Laurence Scott, 5300 mixed fish.

Famiglia, 3800 mixed fish.

San Antonio, 3400 mixed fish.

Haddock, \$3.50 to \$4 per cwt.; scrod, \$2.75 to \$3; large cod, \$3 to \$3.75; market cod, \$3.50 to \$3.75; hake, \$3.75 to \$4; pollock, \$1.65; cusk, \$2.50; gray sole, 3 cents to 4 cents; lemon sole, 10 cents; black backs, 6 cents; yellow tails, 4 cents; dabs, 3 cents; redfish, 1 cent; catfish, 2 cents.

FEBRUARY 4, 1937.

## SIX DRAGGERS BRING FARES

LAND 12,000 POUNDS FLOUNDERS  
AND COD—ONE OVERLAND  
TRIP.

Six draggers arrived at the Progressive Fish company wharf today with 12,000 pounds of flounders and cod, while at the Pew wharf of the Gorton-Pew Fisheries company yesterday afternoon, was an overland shipment of 11,000 pounds of large cod from Boston. No gill netters were reported.

### Gloucester Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:  
Clarence B. Mitchell, dragging, 5000 lbs. flounders and cod.

Anna Guarino, dragging, 3000 lbs. flounders and cod.

Mayo II, dragging, 1200 lbs. flounders and cod.

Fannie F. Hickey, dragging, 1000 lbs. flounders and cod.

Hope Leslie, dragging, 1000 lbs. flounders and cod.

Angie and Florence, dragging, 300 lbs. flounders and cod.

Overland from Boston, 11,000 lbs. large cod.

FEBRUARY 4, 1937.

## BOSTON FLEET IS ONLY SEVEN TODAY

ARRIVALS HAVE 535,000 POUNDS  
FRESH FISH—MARKET IS  
STRONGER.

Seven arrivals brought 428,000 pounds of groundfish and 107,500 pounds of mixed fish to the Boston fish pier this morning. All of the newcomers had a great accumulation of frozen spray from bucking the northwester coming. Hulls, decks, rails and rigging were covered with ice. The market was steady with haddock at \$4 and large and market cod, \$3.

The Yarmouth steamer brought down 274 crates of live lobsters yesterday from Nova Scotia.

### Boston Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:  
Str. Newton, 20,000 haddock, 63,300 cod, 8000 mixed fish.

Str. Atlantic, 29,000 haddock, 47,000 cod, 11,000 mixed fish.

Str. Heron, 75,000 haddock, 56,000 cod, 39,000 mixed fish.

Str. Comber, 43,000 haddock, 74,000 cod, 24,000 mixed fish.

Geraldine and Phyllis, 19,000 haddock, 2500 cod, 22,000 mixed fish.

Paulina II, 2100 mixed fish.

St. Michael Angelo, 1400 mixed fish.

Haddock, \$4 per cwt.; scrod, \$3; large cod, \$3; market cod, \$3; hake, \$3; pollock, \$2; small gray sole, 2 1-2 cents per pound; lemon sole, 11 cents; black backs, 7 1-2 cents; yellow tails, 5 cents; dabs, 3 cents; catfish, 2 1-2 cents.

FEBRUARY 5, 1937.

## SMALL SUPPLY AT BOSTON PIER

SEVEN BOATS LANDED 548,000  
POUNDS FRESH FISH—REDFISH  
HITS LOW PRICE.

With prices for cod and haddock well over four cents a pound, fresh fish receipts at Boston Fish pier this morning was small. Seven boats including three beam trawlers, two schooners and two small boats had a total of 548,000 pounds of which 167,000 pounds was cod, 144,000 pounds of haddock, 80,000 pounds redfish, and 157,000 pounds mixed fish. Despite the fact there was one trip of redfish, only 75 cents per hundred were paid for it.

### Boston Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:  
Str. Trimount, 44,000 haddock, 47,000 cod, 16,000 mixed fish.

Str. Tern, 40,000 haddock, 23,000 cod, 77,000 mixed fish.

Str. Ebb, 42,000 haddock, 81,000 cod, 42,000 mixed fish.

Rainbow, 15,000 haddock, 13,000 cod, 17,000 mixed fish.

Donald, 3000 haddock, 3000 cod, 80,000 redfish, 2000 mixed fish.

Savioia, 2200 mixed fish.

Boat, 900 mixed fish.

Haddock, \$5 per cwt.; scrod, \$4; large cod, \$4; market cod, \$4; hake, \$4.50; pollock, \$2; gray sole, 5 cents per lb.; lemon sole, 10 cents; black backs, 6 cents; yellow tails, 3 to 4 cents; dabs, 4 cents; redfish, .75 cents; catfish, 3 3-4 cents.

## LONE NETTER ONLY ARRIVAL

TOO MUCH BREEZE CHECKED  
SHORE FISHING YESTERDAY.  
—BOATS OUT TODAY.

Only one gill netter, the Ethel S. Huff, with the Fairweather family as skipper and crew, was reported with fresh fish here since yesterday, when she landed 1000 pounds of cod at the Murray & Tarr wharf. The breeze was a bit too much for fishing, but all shore boats are out today.

**Gloucester Arrivals and Receipts.**  
The arrivals and fares in detail:  
Ethel S. Huff, gill netting, 1000 lbs. cod.

## SMALL BOATS AT BOSTON FISH PIER

FLEET OF 18 BOATS HAD BULK  
174,000 POUNDS GROUND FISH—  
TWO BEAM TRAWLERS

Boston Fish pier this morning had two beam trawlers and 18 small boats with a total catch of 173,400 pounds of cod, haddock, and mixed fish, in which there were only 2500 pounds of redfish reported. Prices were good for the final day of the week, with haddock getting from \$5 to \$5.50 a hundred pounds, and large cod, \$4.50.

### Boston Arrivals and Receipts

The arrivals and fares in detail:  
Str. Dorchester, 50,000 haddock, 26,000 cod, 35,000 mixed fish.  
Str. Cambridge, 8000 haddock, 1000 cod, 2500 redfish, 3000 mixed fish.  
Antonina, 5300 mixed fish.  
Francisco, 1900 mixed fish.  
Maria Guiseppi, 2100 mixed fish.  
Guiseppi, 2500 mixed fish.  
Anna Madre, 2700 mixed fish.  
Paolina, 2900 mixed fish.  
St. Teresa, 2700 mixed fish.  
St. Mary, 2400 mixed fish.  
Catherine B., 2600 mixed fish.  
Lucy, 1400 mixed fish.  
Isabella, 3100 mixed fish.  
Six Brothers, 2800 mixed fish.  
St. Providence, 3200 mixed fish.  
Kid Roberts, 3000 mixed fish.  
Four Boats, 9300 mixed fish.

Haddock, \$5 to \$5.50 per cwt.; scrod, \$4; large cod, \$4.50; market cod, \$4 to \$4.50; pollock, \$2.60; gray sole, 5 cents per lb; redfish, 1 cent; catfish, 4 cents.

## MOSTLY COD AT LOCAL WHARVES

FOURTEEN BOATS LANDED 35,000  
POUNDS SINCE YESTERDAY  
—ONLY ONE NETTER.

A fleet of 14 small boats landed 34,900 pounds of flounders and cod in this port since yesterday when four draggers had a total of 21,000 pounds of cod and flounders; nine small trawlers, 11,900 pounds of cod; and one gill netter, 2000 pounds of cod. The Progressive Fish company had four draggers with 21,000 pounds; Cape Ann Cold Storage, five trawlers, 6100; Producers Fish company, three trawlers, 4300; and Murray & Tarr, a trawler and a netter, 3500 pounds.

### Gloucester Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:  
Carlo and Vence, dragging, 8000 lbs. flounders and cod.  
Angie and Vince, dragging, 6000 lbs. flounders and cod.  
Little Joe, dragging, 4000 lbs. flounders and cod.  
Natale II., dragging, 3000 lbs. flounders and cod.  
Annie and Josephine, trawling, 2000 lbs. cod.  
Grace A., trawling, 1800 lbs. cod.  
Maria Concetta, trawling, 1800 lbs. cod.  
Lucy W., trawling, 1500 lbs. cod.  
Jupiter, trawling, 1500 lbs. cod.  
Boat 4C555, trawling, 1500 lbs. cod.  
Providence I., trawling, 700 lbs. cod.  
Emma W., trawling, 500 lbs. cod.  
Elsie, trawling, 500 lbs. cod.  
Ethel S. Huff, gill netting, 2000 lbs. cod.

## ONLY TWO BOATS OVER WEEK-END

LANDED 9000 POUNDS COD AT  
LOCAL WHARVES—NO GILL  
NETTERS ACTIVE

One dragger had 7000 pounds of cod at the Cape Ann Cold Storage, and another had 2000 pounds of cod at the Producers' Fish company, over the week-end. Nary a gill netter was reported to have lifted her nets.

### Gloucester Arrivals and Receipts

The arrivals and fares in detail:  
Mary, dragging, 7000 lbs. cod.  
Virginia and Mary, dragging, 2000 lbs. cod.

## PLENTY OF FISH ON HAND TODAY

SIXTEEN ARRIVALS MOSTLY  
FROM OFF SHORE HAVE  
1,500,000 LBS. AT HUB

New arrivals at the Boston fish pier this morning numbered 16. Half of them were steamers, five more were off shore vessels and the other three were from shore with mixed fish. Receipts were fairly heavy and totalled 1,128,000 pounds of groundfish, largely haddock, and 365,000 pounds of mixed fish.

The market opened up quite strong and most varieties were in good demand. Haddock sold at \$4; large cod, \$4 and markets, \$4.

### Boston Arrivals and Receipts

The arrivals and fares in detail:  
Str. Arlington, 51,000 haddock, 89,000 cod, 29,000 mixed fish.  
Str. Ripple, 90,000 haddock, 41,000 cod, 32,000 mixed fish.  
Str. Triton, 45,000 haddock, 47,000 cod, 27,000 mixed fish.  
Str. Gemma, 87,000 haddock, 5000 cod, 14,000 mixed fish.  
Str. Marie, 92,000 haddock, 48,000 cod, 83,000 mixed fish.  
Str. Loon, 105,000 haddock, 50,000 cod, 54,000 mixed fish.  
Str. Kingfisher, 67,000 haddock, 45,000 cod, 19,000 mixed fish.  
Str. William J. O'Brien, 43,000 haddock, 30,000 cod, 18,000 mixed fish.  
Vagabond, 5000 haddock, 12,000 cod, 11,000 mixed fish.  
Andover, 20,000 haddock, 1000 cod, 15,000 mixed fish.  
Shamrock, 36,000 haddock, 16,000 cod, 12,000 mixed fish.  
Lark, 26,000 haddock, 10,000 cod, 21,000 mixed fish.  
Gossoon, 36,000 haddock, 31,000 cod, 15,000 mixed fish.  
Princess, 3300 mixed fish.  
Rosie, 2100 mixed fish.  
North Star, 10,200 mixed fish.  
Haddock, \$4 per cwt.; scrod, \$3.50 to \$3.65; large cod, \$4; market cod, \$4; hake, \$4.75; pollock, \$1.85; cusk, \$3.50; gray sole, 5.60 cents per lb; lemon sole, 11 cents to 12 cents; black backs, 8 cents; yellow tails, 5 cents; dabs, 4 cents; redfish, 1 cent; catfish, 4 cents.

## TEN BOATS LAND CODFISH FARES

BRING 13,500 POUNDS TO LOCAL  
WHARVES—ONLY ONE GILL  
NETTER.

A fleet of 10 small boats with 13,500 pounds of cod were the only arrivals here. Seven small trawlers had 7800 pounds, two draggers, 4700 pounds, and a gill netter, 1000 pounds. The Producers' Fish company had two draggers and three trawlers with 6500 pounds; the Cape Ann Cold Storage, four trawlers, 6000 pounds; and Murray & Tarr, one netter, 1000 pounds.

### Gloucester Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:  
Rose and Lucy, dragging, 2500 lbs. cod.  
Orion, dragging, 2200 lbs. cod.  
Annie and Josephine, trawling, 1500 lbs. cod.  
Jupiter, trawling, 1500 lbs. cod.  
Boat 4C555, trawling, 1500 lbs. cod.  
Boat 4B872, trawling, 1500 lbs. cod.  
Francis C., trawling, 900 lbs. cod.  
Grace A., trawling, 500 lbs. cod.  
Madame X, trawling, 400 lbs. cod.  
Ethel S. Huff, gill netting, 1000 lbs. cod.

## PIER LANDINGS CONTINUE BIG

RECEIPTS AT BOSTON LAST  
WEEK 5,623,900  
POUNDS.

At the Boston fish pier for the week ending February 4, there were 99 arrivals with 5,623,900 pounds of fresh fish as against 147 arrivals and receipts of 3,905,000 pounds in the corresponding week of 1936.

Receipts were divided as follows:  
1937—2,116,000 pounds of haddock; 356,500 pounds of scrod; 845,200 pounds of large cod; 544,500 pounds of market cod; 1,761,700 pounds of mixed fish.

1936—1,610,000 pounds of haddock; 192,000 pounds of scrod; 295,500 pounds of large cod; 571,200 pounds of market cod; 1,234,700 pounds of mixed fish.

The flood condition in the west has been an adverse factor in the fish business during the past 10 days, especially in the shipment of fillets to the section affected. There has been a good local demand as is usual the week preceding the opening of the Lenten season.

Up to within the last few days the weather conditions have been quite favorable to fishing operations and the boats have landed some good catches of cod and haddock. In the corresponding week last year, the weather was bad, cold and with lots of ice, and shore fishing was difficult.

## LOWER MARKET AS LENT OPENS

HADDOCK DOWN TO \$2.75 AT  
BOSTON—RECEIPTS ARE  
HEAVY

Ash Wednesday and the arrival of the Lenten season saw the market hit the toboggan at the Boston fish pier this morning. Receipts were particularly heavy from a fleet of 20 boats. Fares aggregated 1,076,000 pounds of groundfish, two-thirds haddock; and 325,000 pounds of mixed fish. Haddock sold at \$2.75 at the opening; large cod was the same and markets brought \$3. Other varieties were low.

### Boston Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:  
Str. Brookline, 77,000 haddock, 14,000 cod, 24,000 mixed fish.  
Str. Thomas Whalen, 76,000 haddock, 6000 cod, 26,000 mixed fish.  
Str. Fordham, 55,000 haddock, 88,000 cod, 18,000 mixed fish.  
Str. Harvard, 95,000 haddock, 17,000 cod, 18,000 mixed fish.  
Str. Princeton, 123,000 haddock, 3000 cod, 22,000 mixed fish.  
Str. Coot, 95,000 haddock, 19,000 cod, 34,000 mixed fish.  
Str. Wild Goose, 54,000 haddock, 22,000 cod, 37,000 mixed fish.  
Str. Flow, 76,000 haddock, 17,000 cod, 66,000 mixed fish.  
Str. Gale, 70,000 haddock, 21,000 cod, 23,000 mixed fish.  
Str. Tide, 100,000 haddock, 17,000 cod, 16,000 mixed fish.  
Edith L. Boudreau, 12,000 haddock, 3500 cod, 13,000 mixed fish.  
Kid Roberts, 2900 mixed fish.  
Providence, 3000 mixed fish.  
Guiseppi, 2500 mixed fish.  
J. B., Jr., 3800 mixed fish.  
Anna Guarino, 3200 mixed fish.  
Olympia, 6700 mixed fish.  
Three numbered boats, 5500 mixed fish.  
Haddock, \$2.75 per cwt.; scrod, \$2.50; large cod, \$2.75; market cod, \$3; hake, \$3; pollock, \$1.60 to \$1.75; cusk, \$1; gray sole, 5 to 7 1-2 cents per lb.; black backs, 6 cents; yellow tails, 5 cents; dabs, 4 cents; redfish, 1 3-4 cents; catfish, 3 to 4 cents.

### At Portland

Capt. Frank Watts, widely known Boston fisherman, brought the schooner William Putnam to Portland Monday with a 50,000-pound groundfish fare. The Gloucester schooner Ruth and Marguerite increased the receipts with a 12,000-pound fare.

### Portland Fish News.

Seven vessels landed a total of 68,000 pounds of groundfish at Portland Tuesday. Highliner was the Boston schooner Kilarney with 35,000 pounds. Portland vessels brought in the remaining 33,000 pounds; the Verna G. had 12,000 pounds; the Sunapee, 10,000 pounds; the Fannie Belle, 5000 pounds; and the Alice M. Doughty II, the Barbara and the Elinor & Jean had 2000 pounds each. The Kilarney, making her first visit to Portland, is skippered by Capt. Henry Larkin.